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NOTICE

I, Manu Singh S/o Manjeet Singh R/o 38-C/2 Karan Nagar, Jammu have lost RC of my vehicle (Punto Active LMV Car) bearing Regd. No. JK02BF-3133. Now I am applying for duplicate of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to RTO Jammu within 7 days.

NOTICE

I, Varun Dubey S/o Ram Krishan Sharma Mother name Vijay Kumari R/o 537 Toph Sherkhana Jammu-181121 state that my father's name has wrongly been written as R.K Sharma instead of correct name Ram Krishan Sharma in my Class 8th Marksheets under Roll No. 115022 Session & Year Annual 2011-2012. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to DIET Jammu within 7 days.

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I, Kartik Dubey S/o Ram Krishan Sharma Mother name Vijay Kumari R/o 537 Toph Sherkhana Jammu-181121 state that my father's name has wrongly been written as R.K Sharma instead of correct name Ram Krishan Sharma in my Class 8th Marksheets under Roll No. 8900503 Session & Year Annual 2018-2019. Now I am applying for correction of the same. Objection if any may be conveyed to DIET Jammu within 7 days.

Scapping textile park project 'most regressive' step: Ex-Punjab CM Amarinder

■ AGENCY

CHANDIGARH: Former Punjab Chief Minister Amarinder Singh on Monday said the scrapping of a proposed textile park project near the Mattewara forest area in Ludhiana is the most regressive and short sighted decision by the AAP government.

Singh's reaction came after the Punjab government decided to scrap the proposed textile park project with Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann saying no industrial unit will be set at the site near the Mattewara forest area.

The decision was taken by CM Mann following a meeting here with the members

of Public Action Committee (PAC), an NGO which was spearheading a protest against the setting up of a mega integrated textile region and apparel park, citing environmental concerns given its proximity to Mattewara forest and Sutlej river.

The previous Amarinder Singh-led government had conceived the project in July 2020. The project was mooted under the PM Mega Integrated Textile Region and Apparel Parks (PM MITRA) scheme.

You don't throw away the baby with the bath water, the Punjab Lok Congress leader said in a statement. Questioning the diatribe

launched against the project, he clarified that the textile park was not to come up within the Mattewara forest area as was being said, but outside it.

He claimed that all environmental concerns had been addressed according to the United Nations guidelines and only then the park was approved.

Singh regretted that the Aam Aadmi Party government, after initially deciding to go ahead with the project, had scrapped it, just because some people opposed it without any justification or without any technical and scientific knowledge about the envi-

ronment.

The former CM said the Ludhiana Textile Park was one of the seven such parks coming up across the country.

The proposed textile park was approved with the specific objective of sustainable industrialization that does not harm the environment according to the United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 9, he said. He said with such an approach, no industrialization can take place in Punjab, which is already scarce of land.

When Punjab is reeling under such a financial crisis and investments are not coming, such a regressive

decision will further discourage the industry from coming here, Singh observed, adding that such a decision should not have been taken in a haste.

Moreover, he pointed out, the National Green Tribunal had already set up an expert committee to examine the project and objections raised from certain quarters. He said the government should have waited for its (NGT) decision.

He also expressed surprise as to how Chief Minister Mann took a U-turn after supporting the project and even announced funds for further land acquisition.

Virtual summit of 'T2U2' set to take place on Thursday

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

NEW DELHI: The global food and energy crisis arising out of the Ukraine conflict is likely to figure prominently in the first virtual summit of the four-nation grouping comprising India, Israel, the US and the United Arab Emirates (UAE).

US President Joe Biden is set to host the summit with Prime Minister Narendra Modi, Israeli PM Yair Lapid and UAE President Mohammed bin Zayed Al Nahyan during his visit to Israel on July 14.

The grouping is known as T2U2 with "T" standing for

India and Israel and "U" for the US and the UAE.

The US President will be on a visit to West Asia from July 13 to 16.

The first virtual summit of the T2U2 is expected to take place on Thursday, people familiar with the development said on Monday.

In their deliberations, the leaders are also likely to touch upon the broad contours of the new grouping and identify the key areas of cooperation.

The leaders may deliberate on pressing regional and global issues, including the energy and food crisis in the backdrop of the Ukraine conflict, the

people cited above said.

The grouping is expected to largely focus on issues relating to trade and investment.

India's bilateral strategic ties with each of the three countries are on an upswing in the past few years.

External Affairs Minister S Jaishankar and US Secretary of State Antony Blinken discussed the global energy and food security concerns last week on the sidelines of the G20 Foreign Ministers' meeting in Bali. Jaishankar also held a separate meeting with his counterpart from the UAE, Sheikh Abdullah bin Zayed Al Nahyan.

GURUGRAM: The Special Task Force of Haryana Police has arrested five notorious members of the Lawrence Bishnoi gang from Bahadurgarh.

Six stolen luxury cars were also recovered.

The STF team received specific input regarding the movement of the accused in Bahadurgarh. Acting swiftly, it laid a trap near Bahadurgarh bypass and apprehended them.

Those arrested include Chiraag, who handles the drug trade of Bishnoi gang in South Haryana and is the younger brother of Timu Bhiwani arrested in the Moosewala murder case, they said.

Others are Manoj Bakkawala, the famous car thief, Prakash Barmer, resident of Barmer in Rajasthan, Amit of Pinjore and Sanjay, a resident of Zirakpur, Punjab.

Apart from Bishnoi gang, they were also working for Kala Jathedi gang for a long time, they said.

Raj, resident of House No 275-F, Roulki Bakshi Nagar; Sahil Dogra, son of Guru Ram, resident of Roulki, Bakshi Nagar; Sushant Bakshi, son of Surinder Kumar, resident of Bakshi Nagar and Ankush Anand, son of Late Ashok Kumar, resident of House No 934 Jullaka Mohalla, Jammu. During intensive questioning, all suspects confessed their involvement in the crime and on their disclosure stolen items were recovered. The overall arrest and recovery was made under supervision of SP North Kulbir Handa.

Bootlegger nabbed; 15 bottles of illicit liquor recovered

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: Police on Monday nabbed a bootlegger and recovered 15 bottles of illicit liquor from his possession.

As per details, information was received through reliable sources regarding sale of illicit liquor by a person in Thanger Chowk area. On this, a team under the supervision of SDPO Akhnoor Varun Jandial led by SHO Khour Insp Balwinder Singh assisted by Incharge Police Post Pallanwala PSI Vijay Kumar and ASI Pawan Kumar, after putting in strenuous efforts, rounded up an accused namely Bishamber Dass, son of Lapha Ram, resident of Kalah Tehsil Khour. During search, 15 bottles of illicit liquor were recovered from his possession. The accused was arrested and case under relevant section of law was registered at Police Post Phallain Mandal.

Stolen scooters recovered, lifter nabbed

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: Police on Monday arrested a lifter and recovered stolen scooters on his disclosure.

As per details, during investigation of a theft case registered on June 7, 2022, police solved arrested an accused and recovered stolen scooters from his possession. The accused was identified as

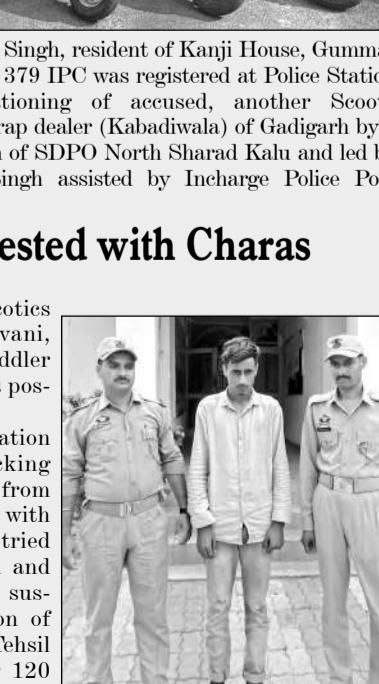
Dheeraj Singh alias Kaka, son of Deepak Singh, resident of Kanji House, Gummatt Jammu. FIR No.36/2022 under sections 379 IPC was registered at Police Station Pacc Danga. After thorough questioning of accused, another Scooty (JK02AW7505) was recovered from a scrap dealer (Kabadiwala) of Gaddiwar by a team of constituted under the supervision of SDPO North Sharad Kalu and led by SHO Pacc Danga Insp Raghbir Singh assisted by Incharge Police Post Panjthirthi PSI Rahul Sharma.

Drug-peddler arrested with Charas

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

RAMBAN: Tightening noose over narcotics smugglers under Operation Sanjeevani, police on Monday nabbed a drug peddler and recovered 120 gm Charas from his possession.

As per details, a team of Police Station Dharamkund during Naka checking observed a suspect who was coming from Dharamkund towards Haro on foot with a bag in his hand. On seeing police, he tried to return back but alert cops chased and apprehended him. During search of suspect, identified as Parvez Ahmed, son of Jamal Din, resident of Prathmulla Tehsil Gool, 10 pieces of Challian weighing 120 gm (Charas like substance) was recovered.



Gang of thieves busted; 5 arrested, stolen gold items worth Rs 5 lakh recovered

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JAMMU: Police on Monday busted a gang of thieves by arresting 5 accused persons and recovered stolen gold items worth Rs 5 lakh.

As per details, a written complaint was lodged at Police Station Bakshi Nagar by one Pawan Kumar, son of B. H. M. S. E. N. Gupta, resident of House No. 325, Lane No. 11, Shakti Nagar, Jammu regarding theft of cash and jewellery from his house. On this, FIR No. 89/2022 under sections 454, 380 of IPC was registered and investigation started. After this, a team from Police Station Bakshi Nagar under supervision of SDPO West Rahul Nagar led by SHO Bakshi Nagar Insp Harjeet Singh, after putting in strenuous efforts, round-up 5 suspects later identified as Neeraj Lalotra, son of Charanjeet Lal, resident of House No. 273, Bakshi Nagar, Jammu; Sikander Raj, son of Prithvi



■ STATE TIMES NEWS

JALNA (MAHA): Union minister and Bharatiya Janata Party (BJP) leader Raosaheb Danve on Monday claimed 12 MPs of Uddhav Thackeray-led Shiv Sena are in touch with Chief Minister Eknath Shinde

faction and are ready to cross over.

Speaking to reporters here in Maharashtra, Danve also said Shiv Sena might support National Democratic Alliance (NDA)'s Presidential nominee Droupadi Murmu given that she is tribal.

"I am confident that the Supreme Court and the Election Commission will rule in favour of the Shinde faction," he said when asked about which faction will be allotted the Shiv Sena's bow and arrow poll symbol.

In a relief to Shiv Sena MLAs of the Uddhav Thackeray faction, the Supreme Court on Monday asked newly-elected Maharashtra Assembly Speaker Rahul Narwekar not to proceed with the plea seeking their disqualification which was sought by Chief Minister Eknath Shinde's group on the ground of defying party whip during the trust vote and the election of the speaker.

The Shiv Sena has 18 MPs in the Lok Sabha.

Danve also said the

Shinde faction is the true Shiv Sena as he has the support of two-thirds of total (55) MLAs.

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He was arrested and FIR No. 34/2022 under section 8/20 NDPS Act was registered at Police Station Dharamkund. The overall operation was carried out by police party headed by ASI Rehamtullah Khan under supervision of Insp Sam Paul Gill SHO Dharamkund & DySP Nihar Ranjan SDPO Gool with the overall supervision of SSP Ramban, Mohita Shama.

3 narco-smugglers arrested with 40 Kg poppy straw

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

SAMBAL: Continuing its drive against narcotics smugglers, police on Monday arrested 3 narcotics smugglers and recovered approximately 40 Kg Poppy Straw like substance from their possession.

As per details, a party from Police Post Mansar during vehicle checking at Naka point Mansar intercepted a truck (JK02AF/ 3645). During checking, approximately 40 Kg poppy straw like substance, packed in 2 plastic sacks, were recovered which were tactfully concealed in vehicle.

Three accused persons identified as Anil Kumar, son of Rattan Chand, resident of Barota Billawar; Deep Kumar, son of Govind Ram, resident of Ramnagar and Harjeet Singh, son of Chanda Singh, resident of Abtal, Ramgarh were arrested on the spot and FIR No. 173/2022 under sections 8/15/25 of NDPS Act was registered against them at Police Station Sambal.

Car loaded with illicit liquor seized

■ STATE TIMES NEWS

NAGROTA: Police on Monday seized a car loaded with large quantity of illicit liquor.

As per details, a team from Police Station Nagrota during Naka checking near Ban Toll Plaza signaled an Alto car, which was on its way to Udhampur from Jammu, to stop. On seeing cops, the driver accelerated the vehicle and jumped Naka point. Sensing trouble, the driver parked the vehicle along roadside few meters away and managed to escape. During checking, police team recovered 414 illicit liquor quarters and seized car. FIR No. 282/2022 under relevant sections of law was